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| For : |) | |
| DEVICE FOR STORING A |) | |
| DRESSING TO BE SUPPLIED |) | |
| TO THE CYLINDER OF A |) | |
| PRINTING MACHINE AND |) | |
| METHOD FOR SUPPLYING |) | |
| DRESSINGS TO A CYLINDER |) | |
| OF A PRINTING MACHINE |) | |

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of August 24, 2006, applicants elect to prosecute, in this U.S. patent application, the invention or group of inventions identified by the Examiner as Group II, claims 141-150. Applicants expressly reserve the right to file one or more divisional patent applications directed to the inventions or groups of inventions not selected for prosecution in this application.

An early and favorable Office Action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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